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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

DATE 22 May 67

SUBJECT Use of Suitland Records Center.

FILE NUMBER

Mon - 15 May -- Mr. Bannerman (DDS) called me to his office. He explained that he and Col. White discussed funds on Sat. 12 May for the Personnel Barrier at Suitland. Col White had asked why we were going to Suitland, what was to be stored there, what protections and procedures were to be used, and why didn't we use more microfilming to save space? Mr. Bannerman asked for a reply to these in a memo.

I Later that day, I talked with [redacted] STAT He said Mr. Bannerman had called O/Security Mr. [redacted] STAT and had asked if they felt a fence would be adequate protection for CIA material or would a cinder block wall be more appropriate. I implored [redacted] STAT to discourage any trend toward a masonary wall. I advised [redacted] STAT of this tangent and explained we had no agreement for more than a fence and the material in storage was not worth a wall.

Fri May 19 -- Memo with background details as requested was submitted to the DDS. I had carried it to Hq and turned it over to [redacted] STAT The memo was given to Mr. Bannerman Mon. 22 May.

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